Assistant Commissioner for Patents Atty. Dkt. 839-968 Washington, DC 20231 Date: June 29, 2001 Sir: This is a request for filing a new PATENT APPLICATION under Rule 53(b) entitled: METHOD AND OPERATIONAL STRATEGY FOR CONTROLLING VARIABLE STATOR VANES OF A GAS TURBINE POWER GENERATOR COMPRESSOR COMPONENT DURING UNDER-FREQUENCY EVENTS without a filing fee and/or without an executed inventor's oath/declaration. This application is made by the below identified inventor(s). Attached hereto are the following papers: An abstract together with  $\boxtimes$ pages of specification and claims including 14 7 numbered claims and also attached is/are sheets of accompanying drawings. This application is based on the following prior foreign application(s): Application No. **Filing Date** Country respectively, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application, and priority is hereby claimed therefrom. This application is based on the following prior provisional application(s): **Filing Date** Application No. respectively, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application, and priority is hereby claimed therefrom. Certified copy/ies of foreign applications attached. This application is a \_\_ continuation/\_ division/\_ continuation-in-part of application Serial No. Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line: --This application is a \_\_ continuation/\_ division/ , the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by continuation-in-part of application Serial No. , filed reference in this application .--Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line: -- This is a continuation of PCT application No. , the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application .--, filed (A) Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line: -- This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. . filed , the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application .--Preliminary amendment to claims (attached hereto), to be entered before calculation of the fee. Also attached: Information Disclosure Statement ; Non-Publication Request; Other: U.S. Thomas Edward WICKERT Inventor: (first) (citizenship) (last) MI Residence: (city) Simpsonville (state/country) SC 505 River Walk Drive, Simpsonville, SC Mailing Address: (Zip Code) 29681 2. E. U.S.. Bryan SWEET Inventor: (citizenship) (first) (last)

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